



## GRÓF DEGENFELD

1857 TOKAJ

### *Tokaji Organic Muscat Blanc 2022*

#### TERROIR

##### *Mezőzombor - Galambos vineyard*

The soil is typically brown forest soil, but there are loess spots in it. The subsoil is rhyolite, which is almost completely covered with rhyolite tuff.

##### *Tarcal - Terézia vineyard*

The soil is an optimal blend of loess and brown forest soil, which has similar subsoil to Galambos, but it rests on a perlite cone.

#### VINEYARD

The vineyards were replanted between 1999 and 2010, using 1,8 m and 2 m row spacing and 0,8 m between the vines according to the modern grape growing technology. We use 2 bud spur-pruning and the yield control is 1,5 kg / vine. All of our vineyards are under organic cultivation since 2009.

#### VINTAGE

A relatively dry winter was followed by a less rainy spring. It was followed by a dry summer with several heat waves. Throughout the summer, we used organic plant protection to strengthen the condition of the vines, which showed fewer signs of drought stress thanks to their deep roots. We were pleased to see that the vines kept their acidity despite the severe drought. It was probably due to the lower cluster weight caused by the lack of water.

#### HARVEST

In the end of August we harvested technically mature, healthy grape bunches for our off-dry, organic Muscat Blanc wine.

#### TECHNOLOGY

After 1 hours of soaking the grapes, the crashed must is pressed in pneumatic tank press, fermented using organic selected yeast in stainless steel tanks then we filled in bottles.

**Date of bottling:** 18<sup>th</sup> November 2022

#### VARIETY

100% Muscat Blanc

#### WINE DESCRIPTION

In its fresh scent, elderflower can be discovered, complemented by yellow apple and pear notes. On the palate, the fresh, fragrant, grapey notes of muscatel predominate, combined with an excellent acid-sugar balance. Full-bodied and rich sip, with a creamy finish.

#### DRINKING TEMPERATURE

10 °C

#### FOOD PAIRING

Perfect as aperitif. Pairs excellently with salads with vinegar dressing, as well as with grilled poultry with herbs. Essential for late dinners during summertime.

#### ANALYTICS

Wine type: off-dry

Alcohol: 10,5 %

Sugar: 12,0 g/l

Titrateable acidity: 6,1 g/l



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